

Survey # WA-II-996 Approximate date ca. 1910
Street Address 61 North Main Street
Town, State Keedysville, Maryland
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Description

Built about 1910, this American Bond brick house has the traditional five bay, central entrance arrangement. Openings have segmentally arched tops and windows have two over two pane sash. Protecting the entrance is a three bay front porch, supported by ornamental ironwork, which probably replaces original wooden posts. The landscaped yard is enclosed by an ornamental iron fence, portions of which have been replaced.

For many years this was the home of Arita Van Rensselaer who was a local historian, having grown up in Keedysville. This is a substantial house, reflecting Keedysville's prosperity in the late 19th century.

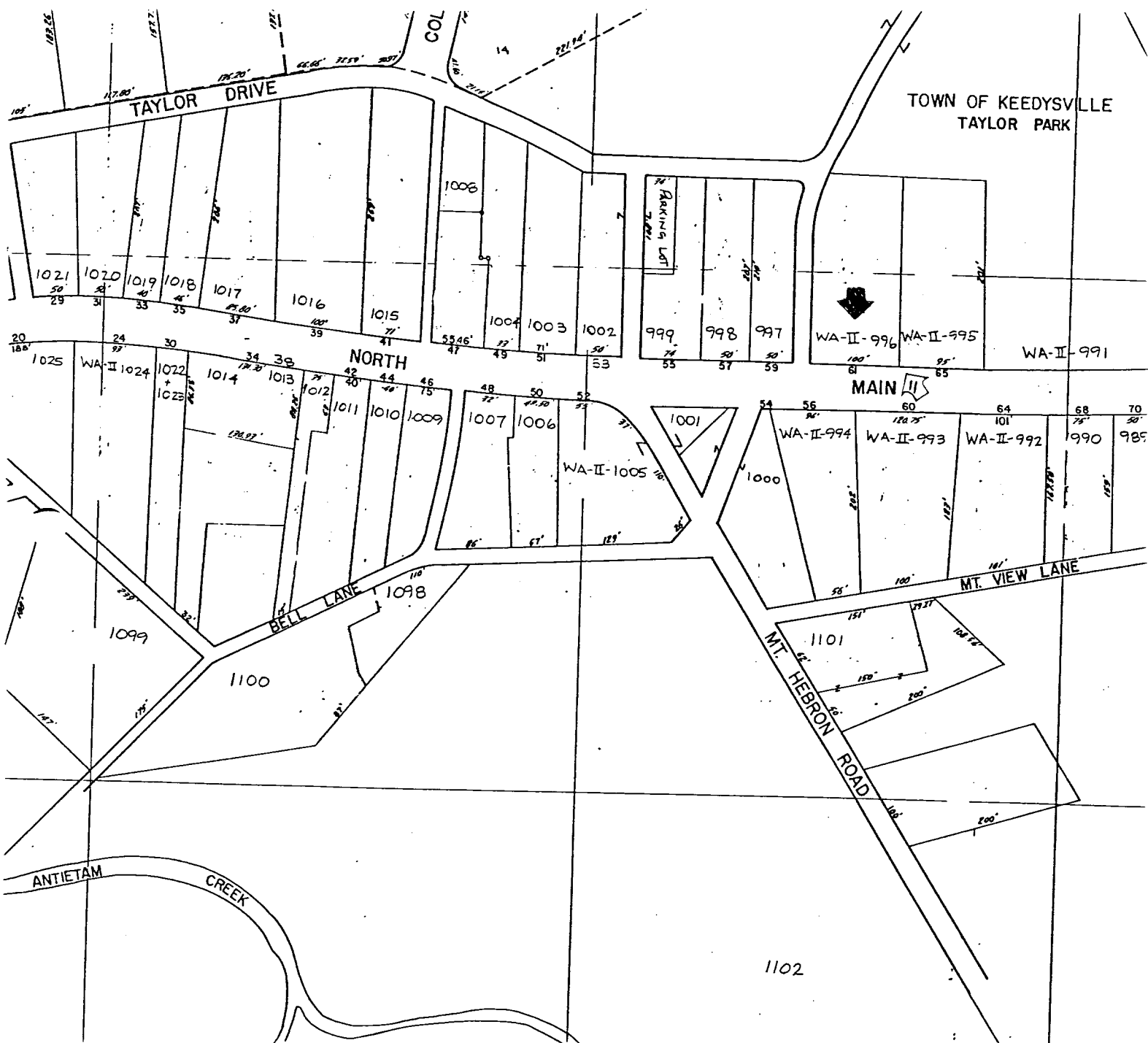
MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

- I. Geographic Organization: Western Maryland
- II. Chronological/Developmental Period(s):
- Industrial/Urban Dominance
- III. Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s):
- Architecture, Landscape Architecture, Community Planning
- IV. Resource Type
- Category: Building
- Historic Environment: Village
- Historic Function(s) and Use(s):
- Single Dwelling
- Known Design Source: Unknown

Photo Reference: Photo # 11

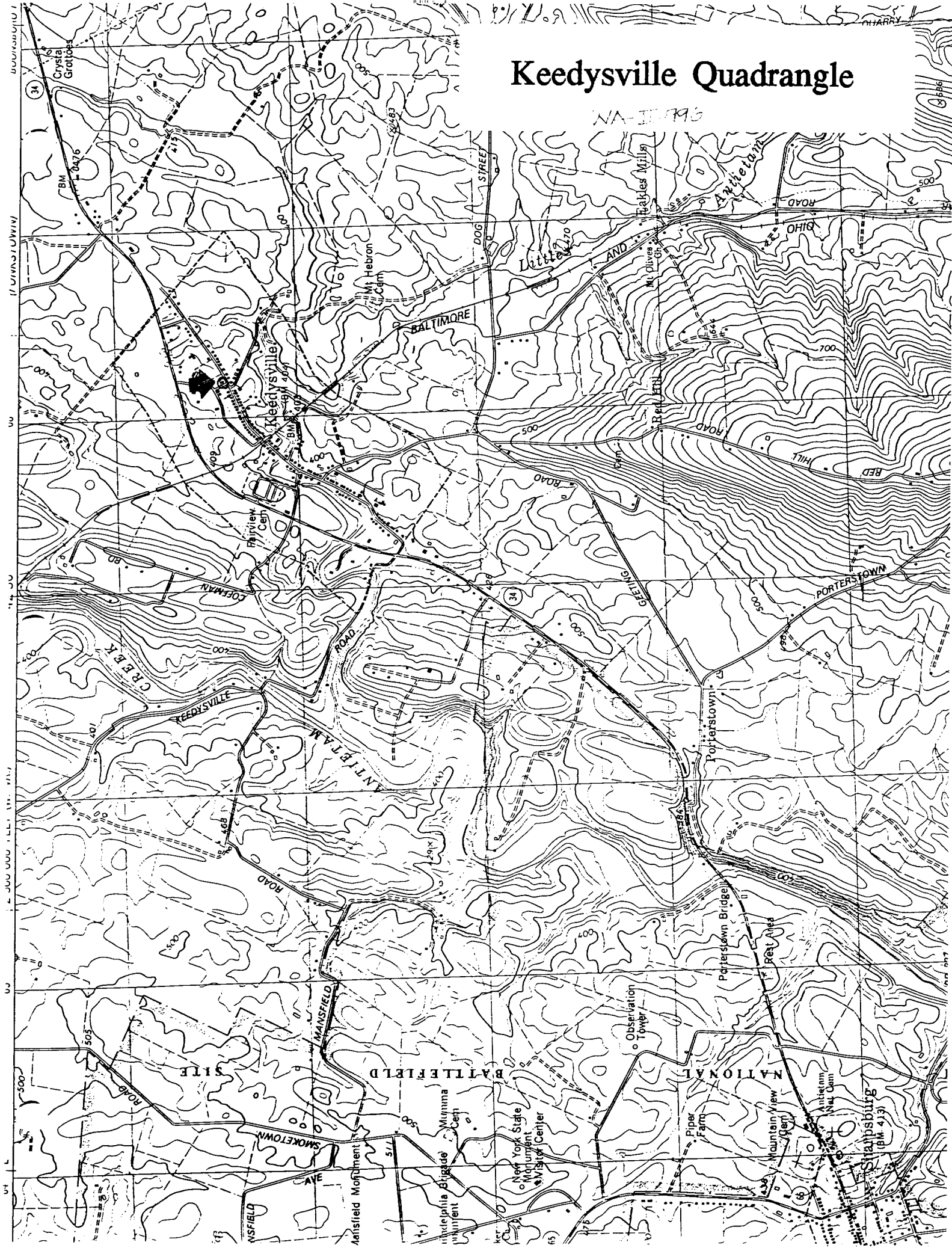
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Keedysville Quadrangle

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61 N. Main St., Keedysville, MD

SW view, E. elevation

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